

What is claimed is:

- 5 1. A skylight system comprising:
 - a tapered light tube comprising a top and a bottom;
 - said tapered light tube wider at said top than at said bottom.
- 10 2. The skylight system of claim 1 further comprising a dome at said top.
- 15 3. The skylight system of claim 2 wherein said dome comprises a diffused dome.
4. The skylight system of claim 3 wherein said dome comprises a completely diffused dome on its interior.
- 20 5. The skylight system of claim 3 wherein said diffused dome comprises a prismatic diffuser.
6. The skylight system of claim 1 further comprising a diffuser at said bottom.
- 25 7. The skylight system of claim 6 wherein said diffuser comprises complete diffusion on its interior.
8. The skylight system of claim 6 wherein said bottom diffuser comprises a prismatic diffuser.
9. The skylight system of claim 1 comprising said tapered light tube, a top dome disposed at a top of said tapered light tube, and a bottom diffuser disposed at a bottom of said tapered light tube.

10. The skylight system of claim 8 wherein said tapered light tube is sealed to said top dome and said tapered light tube is sealed to said bottom diffuser, resulting in a completely sealed skylight system.

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11. The skylight system of claim 8 wherein each of said dome, said tapered tube and said bottom diffuser are stackable during shipping and storage with other similar components.

12. The skylight system of claim 2 wherein said top dome comprises a notch system
10 and said tapered light tube is disposed within said notch system.

13. The skylight system of claim 6 wherein said bottom diffuser comprises a notch system and said tapered light tube is disposed within said notch system.

15 14. The skylight system of claim 11 wherein said notch system further comprises a gasket.

15. The skylight system of claim 12 wherein said notch system further comprises a gasket.

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16. The skylight system of claim 1 wherein said light tube further comprises a reflective interior.

25 17. The skylight system of claim 1 wherein a back of said top of said light tube is higher than a front of said top of said light tube.

18. A skylight system comprising:

a light tube comprising a top and a bottom;

a dome disposed at and sealed at said top of said light tube;

a diffuser disposed at and sealed at said bottom of said light tube;

5 said combination of said light tube, said top dome and said bottom diffuser permanently sealed.

19. The skylight system of claim 18 wherein said dome comprises a diffused dome.

10 20. The skylight system of claim 19 wherein said dome comprises a completely diffused dome on its interior.

21. The skylight system of claim 19 wherein said diffused dome comprises a prismatic diffuser.

15 22. The skylight system of claim 18 wherein said bottom diffuser comprises complete diffusion on its interior.

23. The skylight system of claim 18 wherein said bottom diffuser comprises a 20 prismatic diffuser.

24. The skylight system of claim 18 wherein said top dome comprises a notch system and said light tube is disposed within said notch system.

25 25. The skylight system of claim 18 wherein said bottom diffuser comprises a notch system and said light tube is disposed within said notch system.

26. The skylight system of claim 24 wherein said notch system further comprises a gasket.

27. The skylight system of claim 25 wherein said notch system further comprises a 5 gasket.

28. The skylight system of claim 18 wherein said light tube further comprises a reflective interior.

10 29. The skylight system of claim 18 wherein a back of said top of said light tube is higher than a front of said top of said light tube.

30. A method of assembly of a skylight system on a roof comprising the steps of:

15 Providing a skylight system comprising a light tube with a top and a bottom;

disposing a diffuser to the light tube at the bottom of the light tube;

Cutting a hole in the roof;

Lowering the skylight system through the hole in the roof; and

Disposing a dome atop the light tube.

20 31. The method of claim 30 wherein the step of providing the light tube comprises providing a tapered light tube with the top of the tapered light tube being wider than the bottom of the light tube; and

wherein the step of lowering the skylight system through the roof

25 comprises lowering the skylight system until the roof stops the tapered light tube at the portion where the light tube taper is a same size as the roof hole.

32. The method of claim 30 wherein the step of disposing a diffuser to the light tube comprises permanently sealing the diffuser to the light tube; and

wherein the step of disposing a dome atop the light tube comprises permanently sealing the dome atop the light tube;

5 resulting in a permanently sealed skylight system.

33. The method of claim 30 wherein the step of disposing the dome atop the light tube comprises providing a dome with a notch system and disposing the light tube within the notch system.

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34. The method of claim 30 wherein the step of disposing the diffuser at the bottom of the light tube comprises providing a diffuser with a notch system and disposing the light tube within the notch system.